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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

In re:

BED BATH & BEYOND INC., *et al.*,

Debtors.<sup>1</sup>

Chapter 11

Case No. 23-13359 (VFP)

(Joint Administration Requested)

**CERTIFICATION OF MICHAEL T. MERVIS, ESQUIRE IN  
SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

Pursuant to LBR 9010-1 and 7007-1, I, **Michael T. Mervis, Esquire**, hereby certify as follows in support of the application for admission *pro hac vice* that has been filed on my behalf:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm Proskauer Rose LLP, with my office located at Eleven Time Square, New York, New York 10036. My telephone number is (212) 969-3565, my facsimile number is (212) 969-2900, and my email address is mmervis@proskauer.com.

<sup>1</sup> The last four digits of Debtor Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.'s tax identification number are 0488. A complete list of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and each such Debtor's tax identification number may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' proposed claims and noticing agent at <https://cases.ra.kroll.com/BBBY>. The location of Debtor Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.'s principal place of business and the Debtors' service address in these chapter 11 cases is 650 Liberty Avenue, Union, New Jersey 07083.

2. I am eligible for admission to this Court, am admitted to practice in and am a member in good standing of the following state and federal bars:

<b>State or Federal Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Admission Date</b>
Connecticut	1990
New York	1991
U.S. District Court, New York, Southern District	1991
U.S. District Court, New York, Eastern District	1993
U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit	2001
U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit	2003
U.S. District Court, Colorado	2007
U.S. District Court, New York, Northern District	2008
U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit	2011
U.S. Court of Appeals, First Circuit	2021

3. There are no disciplinary proceedings pending against me and no discipline has ever been imposed against me.

4. I agree to be bound by the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey and the Local Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure for the District of New Jersey and that I will submit to the disciplinary jurisdiction of this Court for any alleged misconduct during the course of this case.

5. I will arrange with the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection for payment of the annual fee, for this year and for any year in which I continue to represent a client in a matter

pending in this Court in accordance with New Jersey Court Rule 1:28-2 and D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101.1, as well as arranging for the \$150.00 fee required by D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101(c)(3) for pro hac vice admission to the District Court for the District of New Jersey within twenty (20) days of the date of the entry of an Order granting my Application.

I declare under penalty that the foregoing is true and correct.

/s/ Michael T. Mervis  
Michael T. Mervis, Esq.

Dated: June 26, 2023